

Ca.gov Design Standards – Checklist

Header & Footer

<input type="checkbox"/>	Ca.gov logo	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Is it at the top left corner?• Did you use the correct size (118 x 77) pixels?• Does it link to the ca.gov site?
<input type="checkbox"/>	Agency branding	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Is it present on every page?
<input type="checkbox"/>	Skip to	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Did you include links to content, footer, and accessibility at the top of every page?
<input type="checkbox"/>	Search box	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Did you use the official search box?• Is it present on every page?
<input type="checkbox"/>	Footer	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Did you include the necessary links? (conditions of use, privacy policy, copyright info, a link to your webmaster or contact info)

Navigation

<input type="checkbox"/>	Tabbed navigation	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Did you use tabbed navigation for the primary and secondary levels?• Did you use the rollover effect?
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Agency Content Area

<input type="checkbox"/>	Governor's photo	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Is it present on the home page?• Is it in the proper location? (top, left side?)• Does it link to the Governor's site?
<input type="checkbox"/>	Flex your power	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Is it present on the home page?• Does it link to the Flex Your Power site?
<input type="checkbox"/>	Amber Alert	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Is it present on the home page?• Does it link to the Amber Alert site?

Overall Design & Layout

<input type="checkbox"/>	Layout	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Did you follow the ca.gov template – using the official tabs, design, graphics, colors, etc.?
<input type="checkbox"/>	Color	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Did you use the official colors in the color palette?• Did you use the same color scheme throughout the page (logo, navigation, footer)?
<input type="checkbox"/>	Organization	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Is the site well-organized?• Is it consistent across all pages?• Does the navigation make sense?